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TO AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

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E.O. 11652: GDS

AGS: PFOR, MASS, SU, US

SUBJECT: USG/GOS RELATIONS: PENDING SALE SIX C-130S
REF: KHARTOUM 0285

1. EMBASSY MAY INFORM GOS THAT ON JANUARY 19 CONGRESS WAS PROVIDED ADVANCE NOTIFICATION (TO RUN 20 DAYS) OF USG INTENTION TO SELL SIX C-130 AIRCRAFT TO SUDAN. NEW ADMINISTRATION IS REVIEWING ISSUE OF 30 DAY FORMAL NOTIFICATION TO CONGRESS, PURSUANT TO SECTION 36(B) OF ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT, ON ALL PENDING CASES. AS SOON AS DECISION IS MADE, EMBASSY WILL BE INFORMED. EMBASSY SHOULD REVIEW JANUARY 24 WIRELESS FILE 16-AF3 WHICH CONTAINS RECENT STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT ON ISSUE OF ARMS TRANSFERS.

2. AN AF CHECK WITH LOCKHEED REVEALED THAT THOMAS J. STEUSLOFF WILL BE STOPPING IN KHARTOUM AS PART OF A GENERAL SALES TRIP TO THE AREA. ONE PURPOSE IN VISITING SUDAN IS TO GATHER PRELIMINARY DATA NECESSARY FOR PREPARA-
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TION OF LOA ON C-130'S. STEUSLOFF HAS NOT CALLED AT AF AND WE UNAWARE OF HIS INTENTION TO DISCUSS SALE OF L-100 (CIVILIAN VERSION OF C-130 WHICH MAKKAWI PRESUMABLY MEANT IN HIS REFERENCE TO "HERCULES L-30-100). IT LIKELY, HOWEVER, THAT HE WOULD DISCUSS L-100 SALES WITH SUDAN AIR, HENCE A COMMERCIAL SALE WHICH WOULD NOT COME UNDER MUNITIONS CONTROL REGULATIONS.

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